

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Tomokazu MURAGUCHI Confirmation No. 4485
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RESPONSE TO AUGUST 25, 2010 OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In response to the final Office Action mailed August 25, 2010 in the above-identified application, and in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, the Applicant respectfully submits the following.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.